

**REPORT OF THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION SUBCOMMITTEE
OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE**

December 1, 2010

The Honorable,
The Finance Committee of
The Board of Commissioners
of Cook County,

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your Workers' Compensation Subcommittee of the Finance Committee of the Board of Commissioners met pursuant to notice Wednesday, December 1, 2010 at 11:30 a.m., in Room 569 of the County Building, 118 N. Clark Street.

ATTENDANCE:

Present: Chairman Gorman, Vice Chairman Murphy, Commissioner Beavers,
Moreno and Peraica (5)

Absent: None (0)

**Vice Chairman Murphy, seconded by Commissioner Beavers, moved to
Approve the cases over \$25,000.00. The motion carried.**

1. Settlements

A. Health Facilities

BLACK, FELIX
09 WC 18534

\$33,741.09

The Petitioner was chasing a suspect when he fell over a pile of garbage.

**Vice Chairman Murphy, seconded by
Commissioner Beavers, moved Approval. The
motion carried.**

B. County Government

ALBRIGHT, THOMAS
09 WC 42294

\$30,012.10

When chasing teenagers in a cemetery, the Petitioner slipped, twisted his right knee and fell to the ground.

Vice Chairman Murphy, seconded by Commissioner Beavers, moved Approval. The motion carried.

BLACK, CAROL
09 WC 32832

\$47,341.11

While the Petitioner was going to answer the phone she tripped and hit her arm on an open cabinet and fell onto the floor.

Vice Chairman Murphy, seconded by Commissioner Beavers, moved Approval. The motion carried.

BURNS, ROBERT
07 WC 17540

\$41,850.40

The Petitioner was assessing new construction on a property when he fell six feet down onto concrete steps.

Vice Chairman Murphy, seconded by Commissioner Beavers, moved Approval. The motion carried.

CARROLL, DAVID
10 WC 03742

\$37,839.18

The Petitioner was searching a building with a K-9 unit when he slipped and fell down a flight of stairs, landing on his left shoulder.

Vice Chairman Murphy, seconded by Commissioner Beavers, moved Approval. The motion carried.

MUNGOVAN, MICHAEL
09 WC 41966

\$54,656.60

The Petitioner slipped off a truck, injuring his left shoulder, left triceps and left elbow.

Vice Chairman Murphy, seconded by Commissioner Beavers, moved Approval. The motion carried.

OKRAY, RICHARD
08 WC 33675

\$26,658.71

The Petitioner was entering his assigned truck when he slipped on oil and twisted his right knee.

Vice Chairman Murphy, seconded by Commissioner Beavers, moved Approval. The motion carried.

2. Decisions

MCKAY, ROBERT
03 WC 59681

\$38,222.99

The Petitioner was moving a 55-gallon drum when he injured his right arm.

Vice Chairman Murphy, seconded by Commissioner Beavers, moved Approval. The motion carried.

3. Liens

SMITH, CLAUDIA
03 WC30528

Settlement Amount: \$1.00

Lien Recovery: \$0.00

Lien Waiver: \$232,707.88

The Petitioner, a case manager at the Public Guardian's Office, injured her back when a truck struck her vehicle.

Vice Chairman Murphy, seconded by Commissioner Beavers, moved Approval. The motion carried.

**Commissioner Moreno, seconded by Vice Chairman Murphy, moved to adjourn.
The motion carried unanimously and the meeting was adjourned.**

Respectfully submitted,
Workers' Compensation Subcommittee of the
Finance Committee

Elizabeth "Liz" Doody Gorman, Chairman

Attest:

Matthew B. Deleon, Secretary